IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Raimund MELLIES, et al.

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For: COMPOSITION FOR THE REMOVAL OF SIDEWALL RESIDUES

AMEMDMENT AND REPLY

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 8 January 2008, kindly consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.